

Riverdale City Council Work Session Meeting, September 15, 2015

Minutes of the **Work Session** of the **Riverdale City Council** held Tuesday, September 15, 2015, at 5:30 PM, at the Civic Center in the Administrative Offices, 4600 S Weber River Dr., Riverdale City, Weber County, Utah.

Present:

City Council:	Norm Searle, Mayor Michael Staten, Councilor-participated by conference call Don Hunt, Councilor Braden Mitchell, Councilor Brent Ellis, Councilor Gary E. Griffiths, Councilor-participated by conference call
City Employees:	Rodger Worthen, City Administrator Steve Brooks, City Attorney Mike Eggett, Community Development Director Dave Hansen, Police Chief Jackie Manning, City Recorder

Mayor Searle welcomed the Council Members stating for the record that all were in attendance, Councilor Staten and Councilor Griffiths participated by telephone conference.

Open Communications:

Mayor Searle asked if anyone was aware of any open communications and invited Chief Hansen to lead the Pledge of Allegiance.

Presentations and Reports:

Mayor Searle invited questions regarding the presentations. There were not any.

Consent Items:

Mayor Searle invited any corrections or comments for the Work Session and Regular Meeting minutes for the City Council Meeting on September 1, 2015. There were no corrections requested.

Action Items:

Mayor Searle invited discussion regarding the first action item, consideration of resolution 2015-27 Kayak Damage Repair. It was noted there will be a public hearing prior to any action taking on this item. Councilor Griffiths inquired about possibly changing the name for the Kayak Park.

Mayor Searle invited discussion regarding the second action item, consideration of resolution 2015-30 surplus certain property that has been forfeited to the city. Chief Hansen stated the items they are recommending for surplus or city use were evidence for a case that is now closed. The policy requires the property to be surplus before the city can take official possession.

Discretionary Items:

Mayor Searle asked if there were any discretionary items. Mayor Searle invited Chief Hansen to brief everyone regarding the homicide on the Riverdale Trail. Chief Hansen gave a brief overview regarding the homicide. The body was found Sunday by a jogger at approximately 5:30 AM. To which the homicide task force, detectives throughout Weber County, responded. Lieutenant Brenkman with the Riverdale City Police Department led the investigation.

They were able to identify the victim by using the cell phone found with the victim which led them to a local trailer park where the victim lived. The officers at that time detained 4 suspects living in the trailer park which were divided and interviewed. The County Attorney's Officer and other investigators were present and after the interview an arrest was made. Chief Hansen was impressed the interviewing officer provoked a confession from the suspect. Although both the victim and suspect were a part of a gang, this shooting did not appear to be a gang related event. It was noted there were drugs involved.

Mayor Searle was contacted by a spokes-person from the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints offering tickets to the Council to the church's upcoming conference for the Saturday or Sunday Session. Two tickets will be available for any member of the Council that is interested.

Mayor Searle reminded the Council of the upcoming Joint Strategic Planning Meeting on September 29, 2015 at 6:00 PM at the Senior Center.

Mayor Searle also reminded the Council of the conference with the League of City and Towns tomorrow, September 16, 2015 to the 18th.

Adjournment:

Having no further business to discuss the Council adjourned at 6:00 PM to convene into their Regular City Council Meeting.